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GROUP 3661  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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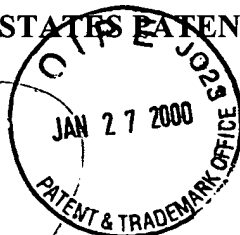
In re application of

Takeharu ARAKAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/295,580

Filed: April 22, 1999

For: NAVIGATION APPARATUS WITH ENHANCED POSITIONAL DISPLAY  
FUNCTION



Group Art Unit: 3661

Examiner: Nguyen, T.

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ATTN: BOX AF  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 27, 1999, please consider the following  
remarks:

REMARKS

This Response, submitted in reply to the Office Action dated October 27, 1999, is  
believed to be fully responsive to each point of rejection raised therein. Accordingly, favorable  
reconsideration on the merits is requested.

As preliminary matters, the undersigned gratefully acknowledges the courtesies extended  
by the Examiner in the Interview of December 7, 1999. As a further preliminary matter, the  
Office Action indicates the drawings do not show an "input device" as set forth in the claims.  
During the interview, it appeared that the Examiner agreed that Fig. 9 illustrated the input device.

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